

# Hot tub instructions: Read before use!

The CUBE hot tub is a square-shaped hot tub for 10–12 people. We strive to fill and leave the hot tub ready for use by the renter. If this is not the case for some reason, these instructions provide instructions for filling, heating, and emptying the hot tub.

## **Responsibility**

Customers are responsible for the hot tub throughout the rental period. The fire must be checked from time to time and everything in the hot tub must be checked and everything must be in order. The customer is responsible for safe use of the hot tub and proper behavior in the hot tub. **Use the hot tub as if it were your own!**

The customer is also responsible for emptying the water. It is recommended to do this at the end of the evening when the stove is definitely burn out. (See Emptying the hot tub section).

In addition, at the end of the instructions there is a list of additional fees for misuse or failure to follow the instructions.

If you notice that the hot tub legs or the ground are giving way while filling the hot tub, you must stop filling it immediately. The legs must be leveled so that the hot tub does not tilt. And if necessary, a new, more stable place for the hot tub must be found. If you cannot find a suitable place, call +358400650677.

## **Filling the hot tub**

1. Always try to find a flat place for the hot tub.
2. The support legs must be lowered, and the pieces of the board must be placed under the support legs.
3. The position of the hot tub (horizontal) can be ensured with the adjustment wheel of the trolley. The spirit levels on the two sides of the hot tub can also be used to check that the trolley is approximately “level”.
4. The hot tub is filled only with seawater and for this purpose a water pump, as well as the necessary hose reels and cable reel, can be found in the hot tub chest.
5. The water pump is taken to the shore, but make sure that the pump does not get wet or is in water.
6. The water hoses are connected to the pump before starting. The thick water hose is already connected and should not be disconnected from the pump. The thick hose is placed in the sea and the weight should keep the end of the hose under water. There is a total of approx. 40 meters of garden hose. The other end of the hose reel in the hot tub is placed in the hot tub and the longer end is pulled to the pump. An additional hose reel can be used if necessary.
7. There is a water meter on the long end of the hose reel, which automatically turns on when filling begins. But resetting must be done by pressing the button for approx. 2 seconds. The meter calculates the amount of water. The hot tub is filled with 1800–1900 liters, depending on the number of people.

**2–6 people approx. 1900 liters.**

**6–12 people approx. 1800 liters.**

8. The electrical cable is first connected to the pump and then to an outdoor socket or other electrical supply in the cottage. First, make sure that the pump is not powered on. A pump that runs empty, can break.
9. The automatic water is fed into the “seed” water through the hole on top (black screw cap). Water is fed with a bottle (approx. 5 l), which can be found in the hot tub chest.
10. Check at this point that the drain valve on the outside is closed and the internal valve inside the hot tub is also closed. Also check that the plug is in place in the heater outlet hole.
11. When the thick hose is definitely under water, you can turn on the water pump and start filling. Follow the filling with the pump for a while and someone else can monitor the water entering the hot tub. Filling takes approx. 1-2 hour. Many things affect the filling time.
12. At this point, the drain hose can be installed in the drain valve outside the hot tub. (You don't have to do this late at night anymore.)

13. When the water meter shows the appropriate liter amount and the water level has at least exceeded both heater inlet holes in the hot tub, you can stop the water supply.

14. There are oxygen tablets in the chest, which are placed in the new water, 2–3 in the dispenser, the bottom of the dispenser is turned so that it opens. After this, the dispenser is placed in the water to float. In the following days, 1–2 tablets are enough, so there is no need to change the water.

15. **IN WINTER:** In frosty weather, the water pump and water hoses must be emptied of water to prevent freezing and breakage. Take the pump to the cottage's laundry room in a warm place to dry/empty.

16. In addition, immediately put the water hoses, water dispenser and electric coil back in their proper places. (If you have used them).

## Heating the hot tub

When the hot tub has been filled with the appropriate amount of water, you can start heating the hot tub. Check that the ashtray is empty, and the stove pipe is firmly in right position.

1. Chop small/suitable kindling with the wood jack in the hot tub or chop firewood with an axe on firewood storage unit at the cottage. **Using an axe in the hot tub is prohibited.**
2. Put a small amount of kindling and newspaper or other kindling in the stove. Once you have got the stove properly lit, you can add larger logs to the stove. Check the temperature of the hot tub with a meter, which can be found in the chest or in the hot tub. Stir the water several times during heating. The desired water temperature in the hot tub is approx. 37–39 degrees.

In winter, heating the hot tub takes about 3–5 hours and in summer 1.5–3 hours.

Put all the equipment you used back in the chest. So that it is quick and easy for our staff to retrieve the hot tub at the next location. This will incur an additional fee if the equipment is not next to the hot tub, easy to find. For lost equipment such as plugs, we will charge a fee according to the list at the end or the purchase price.

## **After using the hot tub**

After using the hot tub, these important points must be noted:

1. The last user presses the drain valve open before leaving the hot tub. Valve is inside the hot tub. Otherwise, the hot tub cannot be emptied outside valve. (additional fee if not taken care of).
2. Let the stove burn out before emptying. The stove will break if water does not circulate in the stove.
3. When the embers are almost burn out, the hot tub can be emptied.
4. There is a drain pipe in the hot tub chest, which is installed in the drain valve on the outside. (Can be installed well in advance. See section 12. filling)
5. Open the drain valve and empty the hot tub.
6. Remove the stove plug so that no water remains in the stove. Put the plug in the chest so that it does not lose.

## **IN WINTER:**

7. When renting for two days (or longer), please note that no water may remain in the stove. In severe frosts, water can freeze in the pipes and in the stove. For this reason, 2 plugs must be placed inside the hot tub in the inlet holes when the hot tub is not in use. Then can empty the stove. The caps can be found in the chest. This way, the caps can be removed the next day and the stove can be heated without fear of the water freezing.

## **Additional fees for abuse or failure to follow instructions**

1. Emptying must be done before the next day's hot tub removal. If the hot tub has not been emptied. = Fee 60 €.
2. The water drain valve has not been opened from inside the hot tub. = Fee 40 €.
3. The base of the hot tub has marks of impact or other marks from an axe or other bladed weapon. = Fee 50 €.
4. Neglect of equipment, not in the trunk or next to the hot tub. = Fee 20 €.
5. Lost plugs/caps = Fee 8 € / 20 € each.
6. Hot tub/stove is frozen = Fee 1 000 €.
7. Frozen/broken water pump = Fee 100 €.
8. Broken stairs or drink holders. = Fee 100–200 €.

In case of major damage, the extent of the damage is considered. And the case is assessed individually. In case of neglect or loss of equipment, the purchase price and transport costs are considered. Prices are estimates and may vary at the time of purchase.

The total value of the hot tub and accessories when new is 5 800 €.

We reserve the right to change the price!

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**Have fun in the hot tub!**

Best wishes

**Pyhtään Vuokramökit**

